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WORK ASSIGNMENT STATUS REPORT
EPA CONTRACT NO. 68-01-6699, MOD. NO. 43
WORK ASSIGNMENT NO. 45-2LA2.0
ASBESTOS DUMP SITE
MORRIS COUNTY, NEW JERSEY
NUS PROJECT NO. 0772

McKnight

Activity: Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study

1. Progress this Period - April 1984:

Review comments from the EPA Federal Plaza, the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP), the Center for Disease Control (CDC), and the Region II Field Investigation Team (FIT) were reviewed by the NUS Corporation Remedial Planning Office (NUS/REMPO). A meeting was held on April 10, 1984 between EPA Edison and NUS/FIT and /REMPO to receive EPA Edison review comments and to discuss FIT participation in the Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study (RI/FS).

Action was deferred until a Region II meeting on April 26, 1984 at which it was decided that NUS/REMPO would incorporate review comments and finalize the draft Work Plan. Subsequent to this meeting, the EPA Regional Site Project Officer (RSPO), Mr. Robert McKnight requested that the final Work Plan preparation be coordinated with FIT's performance of these Initial Activities required to produce detailed operational plans for the site activities. The latter may be performed by Natural Gypsum Company, as a responsible party action.

2. Problems Resolved:

NUS/FIT and NUS/REMPO responsibilities, and lines of communication have been more clearly defined. The EPA RSPO has indicated that he will authorize these Initial Activities required for FIT to develop detailed operational plans for field activities.

3. Anticipated Problem Areas and Recommended Solutions:

Interim Authorization has not yet been received. The EPA RSPO will be contacted and the status of Interim Authorization will be determined. Once Interim Authorization has been instituted, the RSPO will coordinate with Mr. Mark Haulenbeck, Region II FIT Coordinator, to ensure that FIT will be directed to perform the necessary functions.

4. Deliverables Submitted:

An Interim Authorization Request Form was submitted by NUS/REMPO to the EPA RSPO on April 10.

5. Upcoming Events:

The final Work Plan will be submitted in concert with detailed operational plans for the conduct for the field activities.

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6. Activities Planned:

Upon proper authorization, FIT will obtain written comments from Mr. Haulenbeck, and NUS/FIT and NUS/REMPO will collaborate on completion of a final Work Plan. In concert with this activity, NUS/FIT will conduct necessary Initial Activities and prepare detailed operational plans to be submitted with the final Work Plan.

7. Key Personnel Changes: None

8. Subcontracting: None

9. Travel this Period:

On April 10, 1984, Mr. John George, NUS/REMPO Project Manager, traveled to EPA Edison to attend a review meeting.

10. Contract Laboratory Program: No Involvement

11. Schedule Changes:

Schedule for finalization of the Work Plan is dependent upon Interim Authorization and direction of NUS/FIT to conduct the necessary Initial Activities.